Historically, applications are solicited in anticipation of the annual grant, public hearings are held by an Advisory commission to interview applicants and ultimately the grant money is distributed / awarded. This program has been a key element in Warwick neighborhoods, providing necessary services to the city's revitalizing six youth, seniors and disadvantaged, and in addressing the needs of populations in our community. An activity may be assisted in whole or in part with CDBG funds, only if the activity benefits low-and moderate-income families, aids in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, or meets the community development needs having particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community.

The City of Warwick is currently accepting applications for funding from the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. The CDBG deadline for submitting a FY 2011 application is **Thursday**, **January 7**, **2010**. Applications are to be submitted to:

Community Development Office City Hall Annex 3275 Post Road Warwick, RI 02886 CDBG Program

The CDBG program provides the City of Warwick with the opportunity to develop viable communities by funding activities that provide decent housing a suitable living environment, and by expanding economic opportunities, principally for low and moderate income persons. Funds are awarded to carry out a wide range of community development activities directed toward neighborhood revitalization, economic development, and the provision of improved community facilities and services. The program is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

If your organization is interested in improving or expanding the City's housing stock, providing needed public facilities, revitalizing a particular neighborhood, including economic development, or providing needed public services, especially in coordination with other housing and/or revitalization activities, a CDBG project may be appropriate.

Over the years, these programs have benefited the residents of City of Warwick in many ways, both through programs operated by the City and those operated by non-governmental

agencies. For more information regarding funded activities, you can request a copy of our most recent <u>Consolidated Plan Action Plan</u>.

( Updated May 12, 2010 ) In order to change the use of CDBG funds, the city is

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- CDBG Application
  - (DUE DATE: Thursday, January 7, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.)
- CDBG Application Instructions
- CDBG Application Package
- CDBG Payment Request Form The City of Warwick's CDBG program year begins July
- 1. Reporting data needs to be submitted on a quarterly basis by 10/30, 1/31, 4/30 and 7/31.

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